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UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Erich Bott et al  
Application Number: 10/539,816  
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Group Art Unit: 3723  
Examiner: David A. Redding  
Title: VACUUM CLEANER COMPRISING A BASE  
COMPARTMENT FOR ATTACHMENTS

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**AMENDMENT A**

Dear Sir:

This Amendment responds to the Office Action dated May 1, 2008, having a response due date of August 1, 2008. Please charge Deposit Account No. 502786 for any deficiency or overpayment.

Please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims**, as reflected in the listing of claims, begin on page 2 of this paper; and  
**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.